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Application No. 10/781,165

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For: METHOD PROVIDING DISTRIBUTION MEANS FOR REFERENCE CLOCKS ACROSS
PACKETIZED NETWORKS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Following a telephone conversation with the Examiner on July 16, 2007, please amend
the application as follows: